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- STATINTL 1. Took [] to the House Armed Services Committee so that he could sit in on their hearings on oil. Introduced him to Mr. Bryce Harlow, Sub-Committee Staff Member, for purposes of contact.
- STATINTL 2. Took [] Chief of Personnel, to a meeting with Mr. Zuckert, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, in which we acquainted Mr. Zuckert with the Air Force failure to fill their so-called "key positions". He suggested informally that the matter be taken up at the top level between the Director and Assistant Secretary Whitney (in charge of intelligence matters) and General Spaatz. Also requested that the Air Forces furnish us with the name or body of the best qualified available person to head that part of our scientific branch which would deal with aeronautics, guided missiles and similar matters which are within the over-all jurisdiction of the Air Forces.

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